Kedar Nath Singh is one of the most prominent modern poets writing Hindi. He is also an eminent critic and essayist. He was awarded the 1989 Sahitya Akademi Award in Hindi for his poetry collection, Akaal Mein Saras (loose translation into English: Cranes in Drought).

<b>Early life</b>

He was born on 7th July 1934 in village Chakia of district Ballia in eastern Uttar Pradesh. He passed M.A from Kashi Hindu Vidyalaya and did his Ph.D from the same University. In Gorakhpur, he spent sometimes as a Hindi Teacher and went to Jawaharlal Nehru University, where he served as a professor of Hindi Language in Indian Languages Center and retired as a professor from Jawaharlal Nehru University, New, he lives in New Delhi.

<b>Poetic Style</b>

Kedar Nath Singh's poetry is characterized by simple, everyday language and images that string together to convey complex themes. One of his major poems is Bagh, a long poem with the tiger as its central character. Published in the mid 1980s, the poem remains one of the most widely read long poems in Hindi literature and is included in many university curricula. At some level, Bagh bears a striking resemblance to Ted Hughes' Crow, but the two remain independent in their treatment and scope.

<b>Awards and honours</b>

He was awarded the Sahitya Akademi award, the Kumaran Aashan, and the Vyas Award, among others.
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Kedarnath Singh
Banaras

Kedarnath Singh
Barai Aur Chiriya

Kedarnath Singh
Basanta

Kedarnath Singh
Bunai Ka Git

Kedarnath Singh
Chattan Ko Toro Vah Sundar Ho Jayegi

Kedarnath Singh
Dane

Kedarnath Singh
Deepdan

Kedarnath Singh
Disha

Kedarnath Singh
Duphria

Kedarnath Singh
Ek Do

Kedarnath Singh
Ek Naye Din Ke Sath

Kedarnath Singh
Ek Parivarik Prashna

Kedarnath Singh
Garmi Mei Sukhate Hue Kapre

Kedarnath Singh
Gha?I

Kedarnath Singh
Jab Barsha Shuru Hoti Hai

Kedarnath Singh
Janahit Ka Kam

Kedarnath Singh
Khola Dum Yah Aj Ka Din

Kedarnath Singh
Manch Aur Machan

Kedarnath Singh
Meri Bhasha Ke Log

Kedarnath Singh
Mukti

Kedarnath Singh
Nadi

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Naye Kavi Ka Dukha

Kedarnath Singh
Pani Mei Ghire Hue Log

Kedarnath Singh
Phagun Ka Git

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Phasal

Kedarnath Singh
Prakriya

Kedarnath Singh
San 47 Ko Yad Karte Hue

Kedarnath Singh
Sartra Ki Qabr Par

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Shahar Main Rat

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Sham Bech Di Hai

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Sui Aur Tage Ke Bich Mein

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